

CONSUMPTION CURE FOUND IN ONIONS.

New York, March 20.—Bermuda advices state that a London man has contracted for 200,000 bushels of onions, two-thirds of the total crop. The grower will realize \$1 a bushel. It is said this large purchase of onions has been made solely for use as a consumption cure. The onions are said to contain the proper medical properties.

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LIMA, OHIO, TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 20, 1906.

FOUR WEEKS 25 CENTS.

INDIANA MAN BEATS HIMSELF IN SLEEP.

Rushville, Ind., March 20.—"I'm a somnambulist. I woke up a few minutes ago and found myself under the bed, pounding myself in the face and hammering my head against the wall," said J. Kirkpatrick, whose face, hands and legs were covered with cuts and bruises, to a hotel clerk at 1 o'clock this morning.

OPERATORS MEET MINERS

Joint Conference Now In Session at Indianapolis.

OHIOAN LEADS EMPLOYERS

Winder Succeeds Robbins as Chairman and Arranges Details With Mitchell—Lewis a Member of the Scale Committee—Each Side Holds Separate Sessions.

Indianapolis, March 20.—Coal operators and miners of the central competitive district met in joint conference here at 10 a. m. to discuss the demands of the United Mine Workers. The district comprises the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and western Pennsylvania.

Monday evening the coal operators met and adopted a resolution setting forth their willingness to meet the representatives of the United Mine Workers. Subsequent arrangements between J. H. Winder, the newly elected chairman of the operators and President John Mitchell of the mine workers, fixed the first session of the joint conference for today at 10 o'clock.

Following the retirement of F. L. Robbins, president of the Pittsburg Coal company, as chairman of the operators, and the election of J. H. Winder of Ohio as his successor, a resolution was adopted providing that the operators of the four states should elect their own spokesmen and that there be no official representatives of the four states collectively either in joint conference or joint scale committee. F. L. Robbins refused to make a statement regarding his reasons for relinquishing the leadership of the operators. His successor, Mr. Winder, was equally reticent, and neither would discuss the attitude he would assume on the floor of the joint conference. Anticipating the action taken by the operators looking to another joint conference, the mine workers, through W. D. Ryan, T. L. Lewis, Wellington O'Connor and William Dadds, acting respectively for the states of Illinois, Ohio, Indiana and western Pennsylvania, announced the appointment of the following members of the joint scale committee who will act for the miners' organization: Illinois, H. C. Perry, T. J. Reynolds, J. H. Walker, W. D. Ryan, Pennsylvania, William Dadds, William Little, James Clark, Frank Feehan, Ohio, T. L. Lewis, W. H. Green, Dennis Sullivan, George Savage.

ANXIETY

Is Still at a High Pitch Not a Single Clue

POINTING TO THE WHEREABOUTS OF FRED BUCHHOLZ, THE ST. MARYS MAN, HAS BEEN SECURED—ALL RUMORS UNFOUNDED.

(St. Marys Leader)

As the days come and go the anxiety on the part of the family of Fred Buchholz is drawn to a still higher tension. Not a particle of tangible evidence that might lead to his whereabouts has been produced, and as time grows apace, the mystery simply deepens. Every possible clue, every conjecture, has been thoroughly investigated, but without results.

Saturday the family sent out postal cards to the officials and newspapers all over this part of the State. These postal cards contained a minute description of Mr. Buchholz's personality, the style of his clothes, etc., and, so far as publicity is concerned, there is nothing more to do. Sunday Charles L. Smith, of this city, received a marked copy of a copy of a newspaper containing an account of a bewildered stranger whom the officials of that city had taken in off the streets Wednesday night. The article went on to state that the stranger was unable to give an ac-

CHASED BY TWO OTHER WOMEN,

Mrs. Stutz Sought Refuge in Her Own Home.

THEY HAD CAUGHT HER WITH MECK, SAID THE WITNESS WHO HORSEWHIPPED THE EX-PROSECUTOR.

Upper Sandusky, Ohio, March 20.—A crowded courtroom this afternoon heard Herman E. Stutz, the plaintiff in the suit for \$15,000 damages against ex-Prosecutor Benjamin Meek, tell of the night he came home from a trip and sat in the front room of his home until Mrs. Stutz bounded in. She slammed the door, and before he had time to inquire what was up he heard a rap. Opening the door, Mrs. Meek, the defendant's wife, and Mrs. Lulu Kail, daughter of Judge Allen Kail, entered. They stated that they had found Mrs. Stutz in Meek's office, and had chased her home.

The witness stated that he went with his wife to the Meek home. When they had entered Mrs. Meek made for Mrs. Stutz, exclaiming, "You've been with my husband." Grabbing her she tore her hair, but with Mr. Meek's assistance, the witness separated the women. Mrs. Stutz, witness said, denied that she had been with Mr. Meek, who said no attention should be paid to his wife, as she was crazy. Thereupon Mrs. Meek sent for Mrs. Kail, who lived next door, and Mrs. Kail said, "You need not deny that you were

GROUNDHOG

Has More Than Vindicated Himself

WEATHERMAN MAY SCOFF BUT WOODCHUCK WAS A GOOD PROPHET—SAID SIX WEEKS WINTER AND SIX WEEKS THERE WERE.

(Wapakoneta News)

Monsieur le Groundhog is vindicated. On Feb. 2 he came out of his hole, saw his shadow and scurried back. That little act was a prophecy, or as Monsieur le Groundhog would say, a prediction, that winter would last six weeks longer.

That was six weeks ago Saturday, and it is unnecessary to say that gentle spring has been given a serious throwback.

Wapakoneta is now in the grip of the worst storm of the season—one of those storms in which it is hard to say whether the greatest discomfort exists under foot or overhead. The temperature, however, has remained comparatively mild. The mercury has hugged the freezing point the greater part of the time and only once has it dropped below 15 degrees. Still, there is no doubt about the weather being of the brand labeled "winter," and dealt out in wholesale quantities.

Monsieur le Groundhog said there would be six weeks more of winter on Candlemas day. That very day when told of Monsieur le Groundhog's prophecy, Monsieur le Weatherman denounced him as a false prophet.

"A bad! Monsieur le Groundhog," he said. "Six weeks more winter! Absurd! We of the weather bureau don't take any stock in Monsieur le Groundhog and we advise the public to put no trust in him. His prophecy is a mere tradition."

All Monsieur le Groundhog had to say when he heard his rival prophet's denunciation was:

"I'll show you, Monsieur le Weatherman. You say it will be warm—yes, in Panama. You say it will be cold, yes—in Greenland. I say there will be six weeks more of winter. Wait and see."

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Watts and Mrs. Mary Littleton of Van Wert were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Blair Tague yesterday and today.

KING FIRE-EATER BURNED TO DEATH.

Juneau, Alaska, March 20.—The Louvre theater, owned by O. W. Ashby, burned last night. John Henry, doing an act on the stage as the king of fire-eaters, was overcome by smoke in trying to save his effects and was burned to death. Several female performers also were burned.

with Mr. Meek in his office, for we caught you and chased you home."

The counsel for the plaintiff then scored their best point by introducing the story of the horsewhipping, which the plaintiff administered the defendant as the outgrowth of the alleged episode. Stutz told of Meek telephoning to his home in quest of his wife, but when he answered Meek would explain that he had the wrong number. He told of the alleged efforts on Meek's part to engage seats near his wife in the theater, and that he caught them together once on a Hocking Valley train; that she was wearing on this occasion a new coat which, the witness alleged, Meek bought for her.

Frank Gear, son of ex-Senator Gear, who conducted a dancing academy in a hall in the Meek block, told of an ante-room with a sofa in it, and that he found an overcoat on it. He saw Mrs. Meek and Mrs. Kail in the hallway, and later heard a noise. He saw Mrs. Stutz hurrying down the stairway followed by Mrs. Meek and Mrs. Kail.

The case is being heard by agreement before Judge Duncan, of the Findlay district. The jury consists almost wholly of farmers.

The statements to the jury were brief, the plaintiff stating that they would prove that Meek had not only met Mrs. Stutz at his office, in his own block, but had met her in the prosecutor's office, in the courthouse, also on side streets. Meek's attorneys stated that they would prove that the suit was a hold-up to injure Meek's candidacy for Common Pleas Judge.

Mrs. Stutz slipped into town quietly this evening and, it is said, will be called to the witness stand tomorrow.

BIG OHIO WELL.

Bellevue, Ohio, March 20.—The Reed well located in the Butler oil fields, came in today with a 250-barrel flow of clear yellow oil. The same was struck Sunday at a depth of 2,560 feet, and operations were closed down until Monday. Three more wells are due this week in the same field.

COMPANY C OF LIMA

With the Remainder of the Ohio National Guard May Encamp on Seaboard

President Roosevelt Plans For National Encampment

President Roosevelt has plans for the mobilization of all the troops belonging to the National Guard, at a point along the seaboard, the coming summer. Company C, of this city, would doubtless not be averse to such a condition.

Which coast the citizen soldiery will be massed on has not been decided but there is strong talk of the Atlantic coast and the majority of the troops are nearer this coast than the Pacific though the western coast offers several advantages over the eastern.

The plan as it has been outlined by President Roosevelt is to have the guard assembled and participate in war maneuvers which will last several weeks and hold some competitive shooting contests. This mobilization would be to take the place of the annual state encampments and form a pleasant and profitable trip for the guardsmen.

Wonderful strides have been made by the National Guard, which in reality is the nation's reserve army, since the passage of the Dick bill which put the guard under the control of the secretary of war and subject to the same orders as the regular army. The guard today is governed by the same rules and regulations as the standing army and is equipped from the same source with the same equipment. The progress and the need of a broader experience has caused the president to formulate this plan to hold one big camp of guardsmen and if it goes well the National Guardsmen will probably find themselves in the largest camp they have ever had the privilege of being in next summer, located on either the Atlantic or the Pacific coast, the total National Guardsmen being over 100,000.

In the higher circles of the Ohio National Guard there have been no definite plans laid out for next summer and not a rumor has escaped from the officers who are on the inside as to any local plans which is something very unusual and this silence regarding the next encampment is taken by many of the interested officers to mean that there is something doing and that something is the president's plan.

TO REGULATE EXPRESS RATES

SNOW PLOW

On the Dayton & Troy Electric Line

Struck a Horse Fastened In a Culvert This Morning

And Three Men Operating the Snow Plow Were Crushed By Twelve Tons of Steel Used To Weigh Down the Plow.

DAYTON, O., MARCH 20.—SPECIALLY—THE SNOW PLOW ON THE DAYTON AND TROY ELECTRIC RAILWAY THIS MORNING STRUCK A HORSE WHICH HAD BECOME FASTENED IN A TRESTLE NEAR CHAMBERSBURG, WRECKING THE CAR AND KILLING THREE MEN, WHO WERE OPERATING THE SNOW PLOW. THEY WERE CRUSHED BENEATH TWELVE TONS OF STEEL USED TO WEIGHT DOWN THE PLOW.

THE DEAD: WILLIAM HUMPHREYS, TIPPECANOE CITY. BERT HOOVER, TIPPECANOE CITY. GUS NICHOL, TIPPECANOE CITY. ALL ARE MARRIED MEN.

SNOW STORM

WAS GENERAL THROUGHOUT OHIO AND MUCH DAMAGE WAS DONE.

MANY ROADS WERE DAMAGED ABOUT THE CITY AND ARE IN A LEAKY CONDITION.

Probably the greatest damage on account of yesterday's heavy snow fall is to the roofs in the business section of the city. The heavy weight has caused numerous leaks and no little loss as the result of occupation. The railroads today are in good shape and trains are all running on time.

SNOW PLOWS

Tried to Keep the New York Flyer on Schedule. Bucyrus, Ohio, March 20.—The heaviest snow in years has delayed trains, blocked country roads, stopped rural delivery routes and demoralized the interurban schedule. The Pennsylvania has kept snow plows on the track to keep passenger trains moving and made a heroic effort to keep the New York flyer near the schedule. It was 20 minutes late at Bucyrus.

Trains Snowbound.

Decatur, Ill., March 20.—With 15 inches of snow on the level, a Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton passenger train was stalled in snowdrifts east of Decatur. The train was snowbound for several hours. Farmers carried food to the passengers. All trains are delayed.

Rains in the South. Atlanta, Ga., March 20.—As a result of the heavy and almost unprecedented rainstorm which visited the south the railroad systems in this section are in a bad tangle and in some places completely paralyzed. Considerable damage to crops and freshly plowed land is reported from many sections of Alabama, Georgia and Mississippi. All the lowland near Meridian, Miss., are inundated, and residents are prepared to raft their household goods to higher ground for safety. Stock and cattle are reported drowned in many places. So far one death caused by the storm has been reported. W. H. Armstrong, an engineer on the Mobile & Ohio railroad, was killed near Tuscaloosa, Ala., by his engine turning over, caused by a washout.

THINK

THE CROSSING IS HOODOOED AS THE THIRD WRECK HAS OCCURRED AT THE SAME POINT IN LESS THAN A YEAR.

(St. Marys Leader.)

Brakeman J. H. Rowe, Jr., who was caught in the L. E. & W. wreck at the south Main street crossing Saturday, is reported to be getting along nicely, and it is thought that he will fully recover. He remained unconscious for quite a while, and it was feared that the internal injuries were sufficient to cause his death.

That south Main street crossing of the L. E. & W. is getting quite a reputation for collisions and wrecks. This is the third wreck in less than a year, and the people of that vicinity are beginning to think the crossing is hoodooed. It required nearly the whole of the afternoon Saturday to clear away the debris and the passenger train from the west was transferred to the tracks of the Ohio Central.

Representative Freiner Is Behind Another Proposition.

APPLIES TO STEAM ROADS

Commission Proposed to Study the Tax Problem and Report—Prohibition Amendment Resolution Offered in the House—Bills Lost in the Senate—Legislative Matters.

Columbus, O., March 20.—Two bills were defeated in the senate, one by Mr. Schmidt, exempting witnesses in legislative investigations from prosecution where they give incriminating evidence, 17 to 11; and the other by Mr. Pollock, to amend the law in reference to display of the flag on school-houses by adding penalty of \$5.

The senate passed the West seals bill to provide for the relief of Nellie Bullard, an attendant at the Toledo State hospital, who was injured by a inmate. The bill gives her \$2,000.

New Senate bills: Mr. Huffman, to regulate the manufacture and sale of renovated butter, requiring the same to be labeled; Mr. Ward, to define the duties of county recorders, forbidding them to make or allow any erasure or change after document is filed; Mr. Stites, to provide for medical examinations and transcript of examination when youths are committed to boys' industrial schools; Mr. Rose, to change minimum tax duplicate for special school district from \$100,000 to \$50,000.

Representative O'Rourke of Lucas offered a resolution proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor in Ohio. Mr. Wertz of Wayne offered another requesting the inspector of workshops and factories to report the condition of state benevolent institutions as to fire protection, together with recommendation as to what course should be pursued to ameliorate the same.

Representative Whitney offered a resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate the question of taxation in Ohio, to be composed of five persons to be appointed by the governor. Wertz of Wayne fosters a resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution so that three Democrats may be given seats on the supreme bench, thus "nonpartisanizing" the court.

Representative Freiner introduced a bill to regulate the rates and charges of express companies for the transportation of express matter, except money, on steam railroads.

Bills introduced in the house: Mr. Crawford of Athens, amending the county commissioners' salary law and fixing the minimum at \$1,800; Mr. Stephenson of Brown, to authorize county treasurers to establish subscriptions for receipt of taxes; Mr. Sawicki of Cuyahoga, prohibiting use of prefix "The" and suffix "Company" jointly unless the concern is incorporated; Mr. Winters of Erie, providing for physical training in schools in villages of population of 1,800 or more and which have a tax duplicate of \$250,000; Mr. Whitney of Franklin, to pay \$7,602.75, expenses Ohio National Guard, Springfield riots; Mr. Ervin of Meigs, to abolish the office of county infirmity directors and providing for appointment of bipartisan county infirmity boards; Mr. Irvin of Preble, for the appointment of an unsalaried bipartisan commission of three members to build a official residence for the governor at cost \$50,000.

Members Roberts and Metzger of Cuyahoga had a little mixup in the floor of the house before the body convened. In a recent interview Mr. Roberts expressed his disgust with his Democratic colleagues for failure to support reform and temperance measures. He went on to say he sometimes had been tempted to resign his seat. With a copy of this interview in his hand Metzger strode up to Roberts, asked him if it was correct, and made a disparaging remark. Roberts slapped his colleague, but before any more blows were struck the sergeant-at-arms and friends intervened.

PURCHASE AMBULANCE TEAM.

Williams & Davis, the undertaker, this morning purchased of H. M. Colvin, trustee for H. W. Bennett, the Bennett ambulance team.

The T. and T. Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ohler, of west Market street on Friday evening.

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FOR CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR

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SOCIAL &
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CALENDAR FOR TODAY,
AFTERNOON.
Blonde—Mrs. Carl Fletcher.
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lor.

EVENING.
Tuesday Evening Club—Mrs. W.
D. McClain.

CALENDAR FOR TOMORROW.
AFTERNOON.
Marys Chapter—Mrs. Wm. Van
Note.
Trinity Missionary Society—Mrs.
J. A. Bendure.

MEALS FOR TOMORROW.

—Breakfast—
Apples.
Frothed eggs with Ham Toast.
Mashed Potato Cakes. Buttered
Toast. Coffee.

—Luncheon—
Oyster Salad.
Cheese and Nut Sandwiches.
Spoon Corn Bread.
Ambrosia. Cake.

—Dinner—
Clear Soup with Rice.
Roasted Chicken. Brown Sauce.
Browned Sweet Potatoes (unashed.)
Cream Peas.
Oyster Celery Salad.
Bread and Butter Strips.
Jerusalem Pudding.
Coffee.

Frothed Eggs with Ham Toast—
For six or eight slices of toast take
one cup of milk, two eggs, two table-
spoons of flour and one tablespoon
of butter. Mix the flour and but-
ter, add milk and let boil until thick.
Stir in the well-beaten yolks and let
come to a boil. Put in stiffly beaten
whites. Pour over toast which has

been spread with finely chopped
boiled ham and serve at once. This
mixture may be used as a sauce
without the ham, and is very nice
indeed.

Spoon Corn Bread—Scald four
and one-half cups of meal with two
cups of boiling water. Add two
well-beaten eggs, two cups of but-
termilk, one level teaspoon of soda
and one teaspoon of salt. Melt one
tablespoon of lard and add last,
bake slowly in a pudding dish and
serve hot. A little cold boiled rice
makes it lighter. If the batter
seems a little thin, a little more meal
may be added.

Oyster Salad—Use one quart of
oysters to one and one-half pints
celery cut into small pieces. Scald
the oysters in their own liquor;
skim and drain. Cut each oyster
into two or three pieces. When
cold season with salt and pepper.
Just before serving mix with the
celery and mayonnaise salad dress-
ing, reserving enough of the dress-
ing to spread over the top.

Jerusalem Pudding—Chop one-
quarter pound of dates and cover
with orange juice. Whip one pint
of cream. Cover one-third box of
gelatine with one-half cup cold
water and soak half an hour. Put
cream in pan and keep cold. Mix
one cup of cold boiled rice, one cup
of sugar, one teaspoon of vanilla
with dates. Put the gelatin over
hot water until dissolved and then
stir all these ingredients into the
cream and turn into a mold for two
or three hours. Serve with the
whipped cream, dusted with finely
chopped blanched almonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Roush enter-

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tained yesterday in honor of Mr. and
Mrs. Oscar Bogart, Miss Fay Dunlay
and Charles Berry, all of Bluffton,
Ohio. Amusement was progressive
pedro. Mr. Bowman furnished mu-
sic with the phonograph. Dinner
was served at six, in seven courses.
Mrs. Stapleton assisted Mrs. Roush
in entertaining.

The Hardanger Club will meet
with Mrs. Harris, of west Kibby, on
Thursday afternoon.

Prof. and Mrs. John F. Jones,
Miss Millie Sontag and Miss Esther
Swan will go to Ottawa this evening
to participate in a concert to be given
at that place.

Mr. Will Beelman is visiting in
Dayton.

Willis Siferd, manager of the
Postal Telegraph company, spent
Sunday with his parents in Wapak-
oneta.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Frick were
called to Delphos Sunday because of
the illness of Mr. Frick's mother.

Miss Callie Huysman has return-
ed to her home in Delphos after a
week's visit with friends here.

Owing to the severe storm of yes-
terday, the telephones were in de-
mand by the club presidents, who
were kept busy calling up members
and postponing meetings.

EVENING EUCRE.

In spite of the inclement weather
about twenty of the members of the
Girls' Evening Euchre Club braved
the storm last evening and attended
the meeting at the home of Miss
Fayth Downing, with Miss Teresa
Callahan as assisting hostess. At
the close of the game of six hand
euchre Mrs. Everett Furnace was
found to hold high score and re-
ceived a pair of white kid gloves as
a prize. The only guests were Miss
Elsie Cover and Miss Bess Snyder of
Wapakoneta.

Mrs. Bess Snyder of Wapakoneta
is the guest of Miss Fayth Downing.

Mr. Leo Heusch visited friends and
relatives in St. Marys last week.

E. B. Bitzer, Misses Ella Pollitt
and Ella Schucker of St. Marys
were in Lima yesterday on business.

Lewis Helping of St. Marys was
in the city on business yesterday.

Mrs. Opal Brown of Wapakoneta,
was in the city yesterday.

Eugene Kennedy and wife, and
son Donald, of Portland, Ohio, are
the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M.
Price.

Mr. Lon Bower left for Toledo on

business this morning.

Mrs. C. E. Willis is visiting friends
in Cleveland.

Mrs. I. W. Copeland of Albert
street, left early Sunday morning
for Middletown, to attend the fun-
eral of a cousin, returning late Sun-
day evening.

Dert McPherson spent Sunday in
St. Marys.

Miss Etta Boywell was the guest
of Mrs. Anna Boywell of St. Marys
over Sunday.

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We have just received a large consignment of Fine Rugs;
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36 inch High Class Taffetas at \$1.00 and \$1.25.
In colored Taffetas we show a complete assort-
ment of staple and new shades of the season, silks of
the highest luster and quality at 59c and 75c.

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This store is Glove Headquarters, our every line
consists of the most carefully selected skins.
Our 2-Clasp Gloves at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, and
\$2.00 are absolutely the best procurable at each price.
8 button length Real Kid Mousquetaires
"Glacé" at \$2.00.
12 and 16 button length fine Glacé Mousque-
taires at \$3.00 and \$3.50.
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Al H. Wilson, (Motz) the clever
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German Gipsy," will appear at
Paurot Opera House Wednesday eve-
ning, March 21st.
This excellent attraction has been a
record breaker for big business ev-
erywhere, proving conclusively that
the impression left by Mr. Wilson is
of a solid and lasting quality.
It has been the rule in the past to
refer to Al H. Wilson, (Motz) as
"the coming comedian," but it is now
fully agreed that he has "arrived,"
and in more senses than one.
In "The German Gipsy" Mr. Wil-
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They are, "Under the Harvest Moon,"
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No. 8 New York Express 3:55 a.m.	
No. 12 Marion and Columbus Accommodation 8:21 a.m.	
No. 4 New York and Boston Vestibule Limited 5:05 p.m.	
No. 14 Wells Fargo Ex. 9:45 p.m.	
No. 10 Chautauque and Buffalo Limited 10:45 p.m.	West Bound.
No. 7 Chicago Express 12:35 a.m.	
No. 9 Chicago Limited 1:33 a.m.	
No. 21 Chicago Accom. 8:42 a.m.	
No. 3 Chicago Vestibule Limited 11:47 a.m.	
No. 13 Wells Fargo Ex. 4:41 p.m.	Daily.
Daily except Sunday.	
Daily except Monday.	
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Time Card in effect Sunday June 18, No. SOUTH BOUND.	
1 leaves daily 3:00 a.m.	
2 leaves daily, except Sun 5:35 a.m.	
3 leaves daily 8:30 a.m.	
4 leaves daily 11:40 a.m.	
5 leaves daily 4:15 p.m.	
6 leaves daily 6:05 p.m.	
7 leaves daily, ex. Sun 8:45 p.m.	
8 leaves Sunday only 7:10 a.m.	
No. NORTH BOUND.	
1 leaves daily 3:05 a.m.	
2 leaves daily ex. Sun 5:30 a.m.	
3 leaves daily 8:35 a.m.	
4 leaves daily ex. Sun 11:55 a.m.	
5 leaves daily 4:20 p.m.	
6 leaves daily 7:25 p.m.	
7 leaves daily, ex. Sun 9:45 p.m.	
8 leaves Sunday only 7:45 a.m.	
9 leaves Sunday only 8:55 p.m.	

D. T. & I. R. R.

New Schedule.	
Going North.	
No. 2 going North.	
No. 2, 11:44 a. m., Daily except Sunday.	

From East Lima.

No. 44, 6:15 a. m., Local Freight, Daily except Sunday.

Going South.

No. 1, 2:20 p. m., Daily except Sunday.

No. 45, Local Freight, 5:50 a. m., Daily except Sunday.

No. 1 connects at Slater with 1.

O. C. No. 18 for Bellefontaine and Columbus. At Washington, C. H., with C. H. & D. for Chillicothe and South, and with B. & O. for Midland City, and Cincinnati.

J. J. KIRBY.

O. L. & M. R. R.

North. South.

Lima 3:30 3:30

Gomer 3:15 3:15

Jones City 3:00 3:00

Bellevue 2:45 2:45

Shiloh 2:30 2:30

Donington 2:15 2:15

Lebanon 2:00 2:00

Continental 1:45 1:45

Paris 1:30 1:30

Southerton 1:15 1:15

Defiance 1:00 1:00

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GOEKE PLANS

A CLEVER COUP

Has Asked Committee to Call a Primary.
--First of Kind For Ohio

Auglaize County Candidate for Congress in Fourth District Springs a Surprise.

Wapakoneta, O., March 20.—When the Democratic congressional committee of the Fourth district of Ohio meets at Sidney, tomorrow, March 21, in pursuance of the call issued by George A. Sigafos, chairman, a call will be issued for the first general congressional primary ever held in the state if present plans of the committee are carried out.

J. Henry Goetze, the Auglaize county candidate, an advocate of the primary system, has asked the committee to issue such a call, urging in argument that the candidate will be the choice of a majority of the Democratic voters, and not a man selected at a caucus of the weaker candidates, who have selected their own delegates to conventions, as has often occurred under the old convention system, when candidates entered the race for no other purpose than to land a county delegation to be made use of as they themselves saw fit.

The congressional committee is made up of men friendly to Mr. Goetze, and as he has requested the action, a majority of the committee has indicated that a primary call will be issued, the primary to be held the latter part of May. The congressional committee is composed of George A. Sigafos, of Darke county, chairman, A. E. Schaffer, of Auglaize county, secretary, Charles Klob, of Mercer county, and G. W. Briscoe, of Shelby county.

In the Fourth district a Democratic nomination for congress has always been equivalent to election and the Democratic conventions have been made memorable by their length. The last contested nomination four years ago was given to Harvey Garber, after the convention had been deadlocked at Celina and Sidney. The nomination was made in this city, after nearly 1,500 ballots had been taken.

There are four candidates. J. Henry Goetze, of Auglaize; Charles H. Adkins, of Allen; J. W. Costello, of Shelby; and W. E. Touvelle, of Mercer. Darke, the only remaining county of the district, has no candidate. With the exception of Goetze, all the candidates favor the convention system.

All of the other candidates have been working with the idea that there would be no change from the old convention system of nomination and in Allen county Adkins has already been empowered to select his own delegates. Similar privileges have been accorded Costello in Shelby, and Touvelle, of Mercer, would go into a convention with a solid delegation.

The congressional race has already been quiet and warm. The friends of Goetze have been quietly working up the primary call idea, and such a call will be a surprise to the backers of the other candidates.

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THE REVIVAL AT TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday was a great day at Trinity. A large audience listened to the eloquent address of Dr. Mason, and then made the largest subscription to Southern Education in the history of the church.

In the Sunday school Dr. Avamy conducted the quarterly review and then called for decisions for Christ. Thirty-eight of the children and young people responded.

In the evening Dr. Avamy was indisposed and the Rev. M. W. Bowditch preached. Three persons were received on probation in the church, and two into full membership. They were all adults.

The meeting last night was one of the best thus far. The sermon was on "The explosive power and the impelling power of love." A number of new voices were heard in the testimony meeting that followed. One of the most encouraging features was the number of young men present.

The pastor has had a thousand invitation cards addressed to men printed and circulated. The card calls upon men of the church to make sure that they are right themselves with God, and adds "A Surrendered Life and a Spirit Filled Life, Will Cause All Our Influence to Converge in Him." The card assures men outside of the church of a hearty welcome.

The meeting begins tonight at 7:30. There will be a sermon and Mrs. Ebersole will sing.

Itching of the skin, horrible plague, a most everybody afflicted in one way or another. Only one safe never failing cure—Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Concerning the recent strike of the electric workers in Toledo, Local 22, I, D. E. W., wish to make the following correction:

Concerning the statements of Mr. J. J. McCarty of the Central Union Telephone company, as to a second for a motion for a higher wage scale the minutes of the meeting show no such motion being made.

Moreover the local union wishes to pay ever having had a conference with Mr. McCarty, whatever concerning a wage scale in this city. Through a misrepresentation of the Central Union Telephone company of this city the construction gang went to Toledo but being in sympathy with the brother workers of that city refused to go to work and the entire force returned home, part of whom were discharged for refusing to scab the union men of Toledo.

GEO. DIEMER,
JOHN STONEHILL,
M. PARROTT,
Committee.

Roof Collapsed.

Indianapolis Ind., March 20.—The roof of the streetcar barns collapsed under the weight of the heavy snowfall. One man was killed and several were seriously injured. John A. Dickson, a motorman, living at 402 West Walnut street, was crushed beneath the timbers. He was dead when found. Louis Dehurr, a steamfitter, was badly hurt by being crushed. The others received minor injuries.

Died of Hydrophobia.

Owingsville, Ky., March 20.—George Wells, 14, died of hydrophobia as a result of being bitten six years ago by a mad dog. Wells developed hydrophobia last week. Wells is the third person who died from bites inflicted by the same dog. Henry Vaughn was bitten before Wells, and developed hydrophobia, dying a few days later. George McStevens was bitten and also died.

Succeeds Storer.

Washington, March 20.—The president sent to the senate the nomination of Charles S. Francis of Troy, N. Y., as ambassador to Austria-Hungary to succeed Bellamy Storer. Mr. Francis' father was formerly ambassador to Austria.

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Hamilton Sued.
New York, March 20.—Andrew Hamilton, former legislative agent of the New York Life Insurance company, was served with a summons shortly after his arrival in this city from Albany, to a suit by the trustees of the New York Life in the Supreme court. Announcement that the suit had been brought was made by Keener & Lewis, acting as attorneys for the trustees, but the nature of the action was not made public. It is understood, however, to be a suit for an accounting from Mr. Hamilton of monies expended by him under the direction of the late President McCall. The complaint in the case, it was stated, has not yet been completed.

Against Gould Lines.

San Francisco, March 20.—United States Circuit Judge Morrow handed down a decision in the case of the Southern Pacific company against the Western Pacific Railway company, generally known as the Gould lines, which is seeking to obtain terminal facilities on the eastern or Oakland side of San Francisco bay. Every contention of the Southern Pacific company as to rights of way and precedence along the bay shore were sustained by Judge Morrow.

Outlaws Elude Pursuers.

Vinita, I. T., March 19.—A courier who arrived here from Marshall Darrough's camp in the Spavinaw country says that no trace of the Wickliffe Indian outlaws had been found. It is not believed that the outlaws will attempt to leave the Spavinaw country. It affords many places of concealment and the Indians doubtless can remain hidden there for a long time. A heavy rain fell and this will make it more difficult for the posses to follow the trail.

COUNTY FUNDS.

Auditor Feltz has recently made his semi-annual showing of county funds and the recapitulation is as follows:

Undivided general fund..	\$ 1,566.64
Undivided liquor fund..	141.11
County fund	9,255.62
Infirmary fund	5,452.96
Bridge fund	20,730.06
Building fund	3,627.25
Road fund	27,194.50
Teachers institute fund ..	28.35
Dog fund	2,748.27
Soldiers relief fund	2,620.30
Peddler's license fund ..	14.00
Judiciary fund	4,483.26
Partition fence fund	23.35
State of Ohio fund	3,983.94

Total

Less undiv. cigar

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Less county

ditch overdrawn

Less Childrens

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Outstanding orders

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SIGNS ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT
AND SENDS THEM TO LIMA.

The articles of agreement for a wrestling match between Al Akerman and George Bothner, of New York City, were received yesterday, signed by the light-weight champion. He further announced that he would come to Lima on the 27th of March in time to look about him a little before the encounter with the local wrestler on the 28th. As a matter of interest it may be noted that March 25 is Akerman's birthday and he hopes that he can properly celebrate this important event by chucking his metropolitan antagonist to the mat twice in as short time as possible.

AKERMAN

WON THE WRESTLING MATCH
AT DELPHOS LAST NIGHT.

Lima sports went to Delphos last night to see a wrestling bout between Al Akerman of this city and his trainer, Mr. Strall. Akerman secured the two falls in twenty-eight minutes.

ENGLISH PUG COMING TO DEFFY O'BRIEN.

San Francisco, Cal., March 20.—

Jack Palmer, the English heavy-

weight champion, who is anxious to

meet Philadelphia Jack O'Brien in a

twenty-round contest before a San

Francisco club, writes as follows

from Newcastle, England.

James Lowes, manager of a club

in Newcastle, has offered O'Brien a

purse of \$8,000 and \$250 expenses

to come over to fight me, but O'Brien

it seems, has ridiculed the offer as

being too small.

"Does Jack forget when I was with

him that he fought more than once

for a \$250 purse and many times he

did not get half that amount? One

night, in fact, he boxed here and

did not get \$20 for his end.

"I am dead sure that I can whip

him and I'm going to America to

prove it. So far I have not settled

upon the date of my sailing, but

when I do go Trenton will be my

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The most important fight this week

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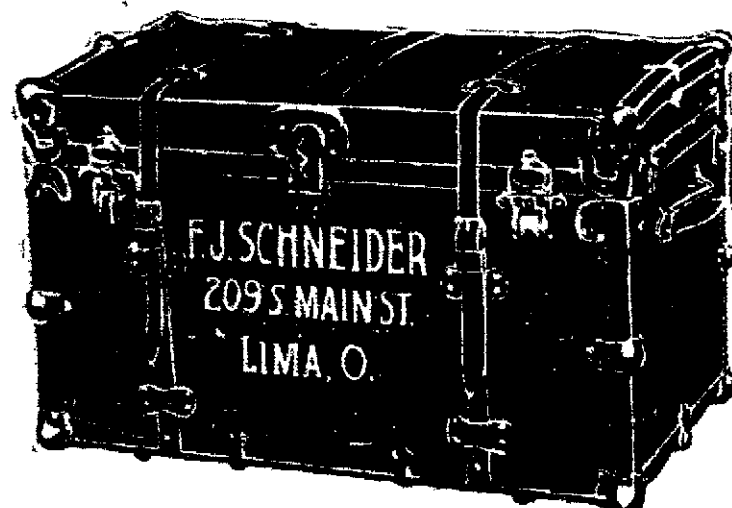
230 North Main Street.

GAMBLING

Paraphernalia Will Not Be Burned

UNTIL AFTER NEXT TUESDAY WHEN ATTORNEY BENTLEY WILL MAKE AN EFFORT TO SAVE THE STUFF.

The paraphernalia gathered up by the police in the raid of last Saturday night at the gambling rooms of Leland & Musser, will not be burned until after next Tuesday. Attorney Bentley, who represents Messrs. Leland & Musser, this morning asked that the destruction of the property be deferred until next Tuesday.



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Some pianos are always agreeable, always entertaining, always ready for all demands, always healthy. You have heard the other pianos—the disagreeable and unhealthy ones, the consumptive pianos, doomed to a short life and early obscurity, complaining in every tone of their inherited ills, and painful existence.

Which do you want in your home? Can our long piano experience assist you? We know the lifetime pianos—and know they are the cheapest in final result.

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BOY

Assaulted By a Tramp In North End

IDENTIFIED THE TRAMP BROUGHT HERE FROM LEIPSIC YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

HARRY McDONALD, WHO ANSWERED THE DESCRIPTION IN A GENERAL WAY, ARRESTED IN OTTAWA, WAS DISMISSED.

Harry McDonald, the man arrested at Ottawa, supposed to be the man who assaulted the twelve year old son of W. D. Clapper, of north Jefferson street, Sunday afternoon, and who answered the description of the guilty party in a general way, was not the right man and was dismissed.

The man arrested at Leipsic, giving the name of Michael Murphy, was brought to this city late yesterday afternoon and was identified by the boy. The prisoner, who is an illiterate looking chap, denies the charge.

The prisoner was arraigned this afternoon before Mayor Robb and to the charge of sodomy pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of five hundred dollars.

Mayor Robb incidentally remarked after the hearing that the offense was one that death should be the penalty.

KEEVE

Divorce Suit Ends Yesterday Afternoon

WHEN JUDGE CUNNINGHAM GRANTS THE DEFENDANT THE DIVORCE.

The divorce suit of Mrs. Artie M. Keave, plaintiff, vs. Genio Keave, was concluded yesterday afternoon when Judge Cunningham granted the defendant instead of the plaintiff, a divorce.

Mrs. Keave in her petition alleged extreme cruelty but the evidence failed to substantiate her charges.

Genio Keave is a well known employe in the car shops of the C. & D. railroad in this city.

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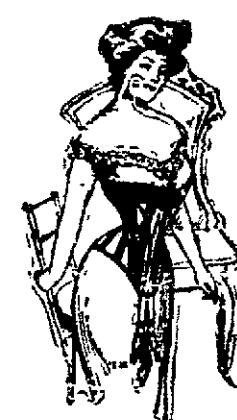
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La Marguerite Corsets.

W 1.—A medium bust, dip hip, tapering waist corset for medium stout figures. Made of coutil, 12-inch 5 hook clasp. Lace trimmed, with bow. White only. Front and side supporters, sizes 18 to 36.
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O 2.—A medium high bust, semi-dip hip, tapering waist, gored, straight front corset for medium figure. 12 1-2 inch 5-hook clasp. White only. Front and side supporters. Sizes 18 to 30.
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B 2.—A medium bust, deep hip, straight front, tapering waist corset for medium stout figures. 11-inch 5-hook clasp. Made of fancy mercerized batiste. White. Front and side supporters. Size 18 to 30.
Price.....\$5.00

B 3.—A medium bust, deep hip, straight front tapering waist corset for stout medium figures. 11-inch 5-hook clasp. Made of flowered silk batiste. Front and side supporters. White. Sizes 18 to 30.
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Q 1.—Straight front, tapering waist, medium bust, dip hip, corset for medium figures. Made of coutil. 11-inch 5-hook clasp. Front and side supporters. Lace trimmed with rosette. Colors, white and drab, sizes 18 to 30.
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M M 4.—A dip hip, medium bust, straight front, tapering waist, long back, bias cut corset, made for medium figures. Boned with duplex rubber covered wire. 12 inch 5

hook clasp. Made of fancy mercerized brocade. Colors, white, pink and blue. Lace trimmed, with bow. Skirt hook. Front and side supporters. Sizes 18 to 30.
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